

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS

In the Claims:

Claims 1-20 and 22-24 are pending prior to the amendments.

Claims 1-17 and 20-24 are being canceled without prejudice or disclaimer.

Claims 18-19 are being amended, and new claims 25-37 are being added.

After the amendments, claims 18-19 and 25-37 will be pending, as shown in the Claim List starting on the next page.

CLAIM LIST

1-17 Canceled.

18. (Currently amended) ~~The method of claim 17~~ A method of preparing a cellular composition for transplantation into a recipient, comprising the steps of:

- (a) selecting a cellular composition for transplantation; and
- (b) contacting the composition with a reovirus to result in oncolysis of ras-mediated neoplastic cells;

wherein said transplantation is autologous.

19. (Currently amended) ~~The method of claim 17;~~ A method of preparing a cellular composition for transplantation into a recipient, comprising the steps of:

- (a) selecting a cellular composition for transplantation; and
- (b) contacting the composition with a reovirus to result in oncolysis of ras-mediated neoplastic cells;

further comprising the step of administering to the transplant recipient at least one substance selected from the group consisting of ~~an~~ anti-reovirus ~~antibodies~~ ~~antibody~~ and/or ~~an and~~ immune system stimulating ~~agents~~ ~~agent~~.

20-24 (Canceled)

25. (New) The method of claim 18 wherein the reovirus is a mammalian reovirus.

26. (New) The method of claim 18 wherein the reovirus is an avian reovirus.

27. (New) The method of claim 25 wherein the mammalian reovirus is a human reovirus.

28. (New) The method of claim 25 wherein the mammalian reovirus is serotype 3 virus.

29. (New) The method of claim 28 wherein the serotype 3 virus is the Dearing strain.
 30. (New) The method of claim 18 further comprising the step of freezing and storing the reovirus-treated composition in a solution containing DMSO.
 31. (New) The method of claim 19 wherein the transplantation is autologous.
 32. (New) The method of claim 19 wherein the reovirus is a mammalian reovirus.
 33. (New) The method of claim 19 wherein the reovirus is an avian reovirus.
 34. (New) The method of claim 32 wherein the mammalian reovirus is a human reovirus.
 35. (New) The method of claim 32 wherein the mammalian reovirus is serotype 3 virus.
 36. (New) The method of claim 35 wherein the serotype 3 virus is the Dearing strain.
 37. (New) The method of claim 31 further comprising the step of freezing and storing the reovirus-treated composition in a solution containing DMSO.
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